



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/800,087
Filing Date: March 12, 2004
Applicant: Christopher A. Arms et al.
Group Art Unit: 1774
Examiner: Tamra L. Dicus
Title: GRADIENT DOT PATTERN FOR REDUCING VISIBLE
STEP LINES ON THE FACE OF AN APPLIQUÉ
Attorney Docket: 4041A-000019

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and include a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.